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CARNATIONS

Recent Introductions and Varieties of Note

Varieties marked * are fringed-edged type.

BERYL MILLS—This Carnation was named after and christened by the first "Miss Australia." The colour is a pleasing shade of deep cerise pink; the flowers are smooth-edged and beautifully formed, and carried on stiff stems; very free flowering. This variety should be very valuable for floral work. 2/6.

B. JOLLEY—The ground colour is pale yellow, with numerous markings on the outer half of the petals of light purple and mauve, which makes a very attractive combinations. The flowers, which possess smooth-edged petals, are medium sized, with non-bursting calyx. The growth is healthy and vigorous; always in bloom. 1/6.

***BETTY**—Canary yellow ground with occasional splashes of pink. Medium sized flowers carried on long stems. Constant flowerer. 2/-.

CARLTON BEAUTY—A sport from the well-known "Beauty," having the same perpetual flowering qualities. The colour is a deep yellow ground laced and splashed crimson; the flowers are nicely formed, with smooth-edged petals. A great acquisition to the yellow ground fancy class. 1/6

ELMA—Pure white ground, occasionally marked with a peculiar shade of red on each petal. The flowers are large and circular, and well formed, being nicely built up in the centre. Excellent for show. 1/6.

ISABELLA—Pure white ground, heavily marked and edged with deep maroon. Free flowering habit and strong growth. 2/6.

***KING WHITE**—A colour that is always welcome; specially good blooms can be got from this variety of good size and form, with perfect calyx; has nice serrated petals; good strong grower; colour, pure white. 2/6.

MRS. REID—The colour is a pure white ground, beautifully edged, marked and dotted with bright scarlet. The flowers are very large and symmetrically formed, having a nice quantity of well arranged petals. It possesses a long calyx and good stems; the growth is healthy and vigorous. An exceptionally good show flower, and has been admired by all who have seen it. Always in flower. 2/6.

MISS L. McGRATH—This is a unique Carnation, the colour being a very pretty shade of crushed strawberry. The flowers, which are of good size, are well formed with smooth-edged petals of great substance. Carried on strong stems, the growth is very compact and vigorous. Price, 2/-.

MRS. P. L. STEVENSON—Pure white ground, with a few markings of scarlet on each petal; very large circular blooms. A very vigorous grower, having long stems and sound calyx. Has taken many "champion" prizes, including "champion bloom" of show in our exhibit at the Horticultural Society of N.S.W. 1/6.

MARJORIE—White ground, edged and marked deep crimson. The flowers are nicely formed, being good for show purposes, and carried on long stiff stems. It possesses a strong vigorous habit of growth. 1/6.

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Varieties of Recent Introduction—(continued)

- ***MARNIE**—A new introduction to the decorative class. The colour is a delightful shade of shell pink. Medium sized flowers with strong calyx; stiff stems, and true perpetual flowering habit. 1/6.
- ***OWEN CARROLL**—The colour is a beautiful shade of salmon. Growth uncertain. 1/6.
- ***PURPUREA**—The flowers are nicely formed. The colour is a reddish purple. It has strong healthy growth, and quick to flower. An improvement on anything in the same colour class. 2/-.
- ROMANCE**—Yellow ground, heavily marked crimson. Nicely shaped flowers. Strong growth. 2/-.
- ***SAFFRON**—This Carnation will fill a long-felt want, it being a clear yellow sport from the well-known "Sunstar," and having the same large well-formed fringed-edged flowers, and free flowering habit. Specially imported from England, and described there as the best yellow in commerce. 2/6.
- ***SUNRAY**—Buff ground; heavily marked red. Nicely formed flowers. Deeply fringed and non-bursting calyx. 2/-.
- TARZAN**—Ground colour is deep red, edged, marked, and dotted crimson. Large well-formed flowers, with smooth-edged petals; non-bursting calyx. 1/6.
- THE PRINCE**—A pearly-white ground Carnation, very distinctly marked crimson on each petal. Blooms large; good show form. Growth strong. 1/6.
- ***TROON**—A really beautiful decorative variety of bright orange colour, edged and striped scarlet, strong and vigorous grower, with good long stems and perfect calyx. Troon has been much admired wherever shown. A splendid Carnation for show or garden. 2/6.

General List of Carnations

Varieties marked * are fringed-edged type.

- ***AUSTRALIA**—A sport from the well-known variety Denet; the ground colour is pink, splashed and striped, with a deeper pink. The growth and habit are exactly the same as the parent. 1/6.
- ADELINE CARTER**—Quite distinct from any other Carnation. The colour is a beautiful shade of mauve, each petal is edged with plum red, calyx and stem perfect. A sister plant to Marden. 1/-.
- ADMIRAL BEATTY**—A remarkable Carnation, grows wonderfully and flowers profusely; fine, handsome foliage. Colour, white ground, edged and pencilled purple. 1/-.
- ADRIA**—A charming bloom. Cream ground suffused deep rose. Non-burster. 1/-.
- ALADDIN (Verdun)**—This is a magnificent Carnation, white ground heavily marked and barred maroon, well built in centre. Good show form. 1/-.
- ALLOA**—White ground, heavily marked crimson; a fine flower and strong grower. 1/6.

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General List—(continued)

- ***ANDROMEDA**—Colour dark crimson; constant bloomer; growth very healthy. 1/6.
- ***APSLEY**—Sport from the wonderful flowering Denet, having the same habit of growth and big strong stems. The calyx is sound, and the blooms are equally as large, but deeper in colour than “Denet.” Salmon centre, shading lighter towards edge. 1/-.
- AVIGNON**—This variety we consider one of the best. Grows easily, flowers profusely. The blooms open quickly and last well. Colour, a glorious buff yellow ground, dotted and marked red; smooth edge. 1/-.
- BEAUTY**—The name applies well to this variety, which is one of the most beautiful grown. Colour, cream ground, pencilled maroon; always in demand. 1/6.
- ***BELGIUM**—One of the most vivid scarlets in cultivation. 1/-.
- ***BRIDESMAID**—A pleasing shade of deep pink. 1/6.
- CAMILLE**—Colour, salmon scarlet, flowers of perfect form, with smooth petals; calyx good, robust habit of growth. 1/-.
- CHADWICK**—Quite unique, ground colour magenta, splashed and marked with deep purple. 1/-.
- CHANCELLOR**—Flower stem and calyx both strong. Blooms are of first-class form, with smooth petals. Colour, cream laced with pale rose. 1/-.
- ***COMET**—The most popular scarlet grown. 1/-.
- CROCUS**—Deep canary yellow, smooth edges. 1/-.
- ***DENET**—Famed for its size. Few Carnations are so well known. One of the easiest to grow. Sound calyx, immense blooms, and stems exceedingly long. Colour, pale pink; petals deeply serrated. 1/-.
- DESERT GOLD (Kerslake's Yellow)**—The best smooth-edged pure yellow in cultivation. Strong grower, long stems, and perfect blooms. 1/6.
- DORIS**—Colour, white, ground edged, marked and dotted maroon. Flowers are excellent form. 1/6.
- ***ENCHANTRESS SUPREME**—Colour, pale flesh pink, splendid grower. 1/6.
- EVELYN**—White ground, edged red. 1/6.
- ***FAIR MAID**—Pale salmon pink, good for flower trade. 1/-.
- ***FLORA HILL**—Pure white, fringed edge; very free flowering. 1/-.
- GLORY**—An enormous perpetual flowering scarlet, which will produce a large number of blooms throughout the year. This variety has proved the best of its colour. 1/-.
- ***GEISHA**—Heliotrope, with a pink centre, changing to clear light heliotrope or mauve, sweetly scented. 1/6.
- GRANADA**—Colour, pure white, with heavy edge, and markings of bright purple. Vigorous grower. 1/-.
- IDEAL**—A pure self, a pleasing colour between crimson and purple; large smooth-edged petals of good form. 1/-.
- IRMA**—A bright yellow fancy type, inner half of petals almost free from markings, outer half almost covered with a very heavy edge and markings of crimson. 1/-.

General List—(continued)

- *JEANIE**—A beautiful shell pink colour, nicely formed flowers, fringed-edged and sweetly scented. 1/6.
- *JOHN STOREY**—Prettiy shaped flowers, borne on extra long, stiff stems. The growth is very strong and vigorous. A wonderful winter flowerer, with a compact habit of growth. Has been awarded first-class certificate by the Horticultural Society of N.S.W. 1/6.
- KIOTO**—Very unique colouring, being yellow, which is suffused with pink and flaked with many colours. 1/-.
- MRS. LOIS**—The ground colour is yellow with bright marking of red. Very good for show purposes. Calyx is strong. Stems long and strong; growth inclined to be straggly. 2/-.
- LINCOLN**—A very pretty shade of buff. The flowers are large, with smooth-edged petals. Perpetual habit of growth. 1/6.
- LUCRECIA**—White ground, edged and marked bright purple; a very attractive flower. 1/6.
- MAISIE**—The flowers are of excellent form, with broad, smooth-edged petals; the colouring is very striking, being pure white ground, edged and marked deep crimson. Good for either garden or show. 1/-.
- *MAUVE KING**—A beautiful lavender heliotrope shade. 1/-
- MARDEN**—Grows as easily as Comet. The colour is pure white, being edged and marked with purple. One of the best. 1/-.
- MARIE**—Colour, pure white, beautifully marked scarlet. 1/6.
- *MARITZA**—Extra large, purple. 1/-.
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- *MONA**—A good garden variety, easily grown, never bursts. Cerise. 1/-.
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- MRS. J. WREN**—Colour, white, striped with bright pink; fine large flowers of good form. Vigorous habit of growth. 1/-.
- NABOB**—Pearly white ground, beautifully picoteed maroon. A good show bloom. 1/-.
- *NIRVANA**—Yellow ground, with rich markings of scarlet, always in bloom, growth dwarf and strong; perfectly formed flowers. 1/6.
- NIOBE**—A clear mauve colour; growth extra strong. One of the best. 1/6.
- *PINK SEQUENCE**—Colour, a pleasing shade of flesh pink; long stems and non-bursting calyx. A constant winter bloomer. 1/-.
- *PLANET**—A pink self. Very free flowerer. 1/-.
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- *REGGIE**—White ground marked with red; good form and healthy grower. 1/6

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- ***ROSLYN**—Colour, pink; thickly dotted and splashed with deep crimson. Growth uncertain. 1/6.
- ROSE BAY**—One of the best deep crimson decorative type; sweetly fragrant. 1/-.
- ***ROSE PINK ENCHANTRESS**—As the name implies, this Carnation is of the Enchantress type, the colour being as it is termed, rose pink. 1/-.
- ***SALAMANDER**—A lovely Carnation of the decorative type, with good sized prettily-shaped flowers borne on stiff stems. The growth is strong. Colour an entirely new shade of salmon. We recommend Salamander as one of the best Carnations we have yet sent out. 1/6.
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